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WRIGHT SANFORD IS DEAD.

THE KINDLY AND POPULAR CLUBMAN PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING.

His Death Came Like a Falling Into Natural Slumber-The Tribute of a Close Friend-Mr. Sanford's Cheerfulness in Long Sickness-A Sketch of the Tranquil

Career New Finished.

After many weeks of lingering illness, cheerful at all times despite his knowledge of the fact that his ultimate recovery was an impossibility, Wright Sanford, a "prince of good fellows," breathed his last in his spark. ments in the Gilsey House this morning.

He had been unconscious for the greater He had been unconscious for the greater part of the night, and died while in that state, quietly and peacefully, as if he were passing into natural slumber.

When Dr. Curtis visited him last evening, the sick man was apparently feeling better; but sbortly after midnight a change in his condition was noticeable, and when the doctor called again this morning he announced that death was only a question of a few hears.

t 9 o'clock the end came.

It was early last Winter that the signs of consumption began to show themselves, and at the service of his friends Mr. Sanford took at the advice of his friends air. Sanford door a trip to the Adirondacks, but not feeling benefited by the change he returned to his apartments at the Gilsey House.

About four weeks ago he went out into the street for the last time, and after a short

walk returned to the hotel, never to leave it waik returned to the notel, never to leave it again alive.

Mr. Sanford's brother, E. Harrison Sanford, who is at present in Colorado Springs, was informed of the death, as were three nephews and two nieces, who are scattered in various parts of the country.

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"Poor Wright," said Col. O'Brien, one of the dead man's most intimate friends. 'A man never lived like him. He was indeed one of Nature's noblemen.' Many charitable deeds have been done by him, which even his most intimate friends were not aware of. His reputation for generosity and good-heartedness was world-renowned, and no one could speak ill of him."

This simple eulogy will doubtless find an echo in the heart of every one has ever come in contact with its object.

Wright Salford was born in Brooklyn in 1842 and was graduated from Harvard College in 1860. At about the time of his grandfother.

1842 and was graduated from Harvard College in 1860. At about the time of his graduation he inherited \$1,000,000 from his grandfother, who was a market gardener in Brooklyn's early days. The money was placed in the hands of trustees, whose duty it was to give the legatee the income from the estate and the estate itself in instalments five years apart until the year 1900.

Those who had hoped that Mr. Sanford would use his wealth in business investments or in any commercial operations were disappointed. He not only spent his income, which for a long time amounted to \$50,000 per annum, but he was equally reckless with regard to the principal. Lately his income has not been more than \$15,000 a year, which, it is said, caused him a great deal of annoyance. Wright Sanford was probably the most prominent clubman in New York City within the last twenty-five years. He was also a well-known "first-nighter" at most of the best theatres. He was a great friend of the late Lester Wallack.

Mr. Sanford's versatility in the matter of accomplishments, as well as his wealth, made him very popular socially. He could sing, dance, box, fence, was a good all-around sthicto, played an expert billiard game and was especially proud of his ability in cooking. The clubs in which he held memberships were the Union, University, Manhattan, New York, Lotos, Jockey, Athletic, Calumet, New York Yacht, Turf and Lambs.

MR. FITZGERALD HAD NO DOUBT.

His Brother Staked a Big Sum on His Forecast of New York's Vote.

CUICAGO, Ill., Oct. 18.—Lawrence J. Fitzgerald, State Treasurer of New York, has a brother William in Chicagolwho is a prominent Democrat and wealthy. About a week ago William telegraphed to Lawrence for information about the politica situation in New York. e He said he wanted the actual inside facts to base his betting upon, and if Lawrence could find any shadow of doubt of Cleveland's carrying the State to let him know in confi dence and he would keep out of the betting. On

land's carrying the State to let him know in confidence and he would keep out of the betting. On the other hand, if he thought Cleveland had a dead sure thing he would make all the bets he could. To this Lawrence repled as follows:

"CORTLAND, N.Y., Oct. II.

"DEAR BROTHER—Your telegram of the 10th inkt is received. In reply to the same I would eave that I have just got home from New York City, and from personal observation and from conversation with those in position to judge accurately of the situation, there is no doubt that New York will go Ibemocratic. Gov. Hill will carry the State by \$0,000 or more. President Clevenand will carry New York by from 10,009 to 15,000. The Free Trade cry of the Republicans does not amount to anything with intelligent voters.

"Yours very traly,
"L.J. Firyzgreal."

On seceipt of this, Mr. Fitzgerald took about its,000 and went out gunning for Republicans who were willing to bet. He found them exceedingly scarce. By dint of offering odds, giving premiums to those who would hunt up the Republicane, and working hard, he managed to get most of his money up. To-day he became convinced that the could not make another bet in Chicago at less than 2 or 5 to 1 on Cleveland, and turned the letter over to the World correspondent.

A theastical man named Powers came in from New York City Tuesday and offered 20 per cent. commission on all bets on Harrison that could be secured for him. He said he was just from a tour through New York, and he regarded betting on the election which the last two or three days betting on the election we have the letting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the election we have the or three days betting on the

lie got no bets here for more than \$25, and had to give odds at that.

Within the last two or three days betting on the election, which has been phenomenally dull here, has taken a gourt. Louis Epstein has bet Col. Abner Taylor, Republican candidate for Congress, \$1,000 to \$500 that Cleveland will be elected. Mr. Kpatein offers to bet \$1,000 to \$250 that New Jersey will go Democratic. Edward Worthington, of the Beard of Trade, offers to bet \$5,000 in a lump, or in sums to suit, on Cleveland. Charles Smith, another broker, wants te place \$3,000 the same way. Fom Sullivan, also of the Board of Trade, a nother broker, wants te place \$5,000 to \$2,000 on Cleveland. None of these men can find any takers for their bets, although they have flaunted their money in the faces of Republicans on the Board of Trade, at the Union League Club, at Republican head-quarters and caused their offers to be printed in the papers.

Little Blins Rosa's Trip Westward.

KANSAS CITT, Oct. 19.—There worklo.]

KANSAS CITT, Oct. 19.—There was a queer little bundle of humanity at the Union Depot yesserday wearing a tag that read as follows: "This girl is going to her nucle, J. (Magras & Co., 18 West Missouri avenue, Kanuas City," If was aloned by the Communication of Chatters at Chatter ISPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] signed by the Commissioner of Emigration at Castle
Garden. "This girl" was Ross Mane, a purup,
bright-eved German lass ten years old. She came
to America with a lady, and was lest in New York.
After quite a scarch detectives found and shipped
aer to the address given above. Her nucle was at
the Unesa Bapot to meet her.

THOUSANDS OF "L" TICKETS ASTRAY. Iwe Big Packages Were Dropped in Breek

lyn and Boys Ran Off with Thom. The porter who distributes the ticket ackages on the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad s responsible for the loss of two packages of tickets. The tickets were done up in packages of five thousand, made up of slips of five undred tickets.

In passing the bundles to the gateman s the City Hall station yesterday morning the distributing porter let them fall between the cars and the platform. They dropped down through the treatle-work to the street, and

one package burst open.

As ill-luck would have it, a policeman was making an arrest at the time, and there was a crowd and some confusion below. This enabled small boys to clutch the tickets and skip off, which they did so swiftly as to escape areas. one great.

cape arrest.

One good boy got the unburst package and two five-hundred ticket rolls. These he gave to the porter, though a bad boy snatched 500 from his hand and followed the other

500 from his hand and followed the other boys.

Auditor Long said to an Evenine World reporter this morning: "After the tickets were advertised and the boys learned they would not be taken and that a reward would be given, five came here—three with 500 tickets and two with 3,000. They were rewarded. Only 1,000 or 2,000 are missing, and if they are not returned we will print a new issue of tickets in a different color,"

JERSEY CITY NEWS.

Street-Car Conductor Arrested Bigamy.

Detective Clos, of Jersey City, went to Brooklyn this morning armed with extradition papers to bring Daniel D. Fennell from the Raymond Street Jail to answer a charge of bigamy.

norse-car. He treated his wife so badly that the obtained a separation and alimony. He failed to pay up and was arrested and

isiled.

It was learned later that he had been married in Jersey City by Rev. Mr. Nicholson, of the First Baptist Church, to a girl named Hannah Renniger. He was living with her at 34 Bartlett street when arrested.

Mrs. Fennell No. 1, who lives in a miserable shanty on Hopkins avenue, told her story to Chief Murphy, and on his advice will prosecute her husband in the Jersey courts.

HOT FIGHTING FOR THE THALIA.

Manager Jacobs and Mr. Kraemer Take the Case Into the Supreme Court.

The suit of William Kraemer, proprietor of The suit of William Kraemer, proprietor of the Atlantic Garden, to have set aside Manager Amberg's lease of the Thalia Theatre to H. R. Jacobs and to dispossess the latter came up in Judge Barrett's part of the Supreme Court this morning.

Abe Hummel, counsel for Mr. Amberg, objected that Justice Clancy, who had been appealed to by the other side, had no jurisdiction, as it was an equity case, and applied for a writ prohibiting Judge Clancy from trying the case.

rying the case.

Mr. Gerber, of ex-Judge Dittenhoefer's of fice, opposed Mr. Hummel's motion, and the Court reserved his decision.

STOLE TO PREVENT STARVATION.

Pitiful Story of Mrs. M. A. Welch, Who Failed to Remit Collected Moneys. INPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD,

alias Alice Welch, was arrested here this afternoon for embezzling money collected as subscriptions for the Cottage Hearth of Boston.

F. P. Shumway, of Boston, brought the complaint and showed that she had secured a large number of subscriptions and never remitted a cent, although she had collected much of the money. He found on coming here that her poverty was great; that she had a sick mother and two children to support and had taken this means to collect money when needed. In view of these facts he said he did not wish to prosecute her, and stated that if she would give him the list of names so that he could send the paper to those who had paid her he would not push the matter.

Judge Frost did not look at it in that light and ordered her to give \$200 bonds for appearance at the February term of court. ternoon for embezzling money collected as

AN INVITATION.

Everybody is hereby invited to witness the fourth great championship game free of cost this afternoon as produced on THE WORLD'S Diamond Diagram, provided the weather permits the gan to be played. A wire runs direct from the Polo Grounds to the bulletin board. Each play is recorded by THE EVENING WORLD's experts within s second of the actual time. We entertained five thousand people yesterday.

Was Not Talking for Canada. OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 18,-There is considerable discussion in political circles over an article in the London (Ont.) Free Press of yesterday advocating granting to American Sahermen the privilege granting to American fishermen the privilege of transhipping their fish in bond over Canadian railroads. Sanv persons inferred that as the Free Press is a Government organ, the article foreshadowed a change of base by the Dominion Government, but it is learned on the highest authority that it was altogether unauthorized and in no way indicated the policy of the Government, being merely an expression of the individual views of the writer. The line of action of the Government has in no way varied from the stand taken by the Ministers who have specken on the question since the beginning of the fisheries dispute, and neither directly nor indirectly has there been any suggestion from the Imperial Government for any concessions beyond what were made in the treaty itself.

Two Investigations of the Aqueduct. Washington, Oct. 19.—The Secretary of Waste-day appointed Brig.-Gen. Ruger, commanding the Department of Dakota; Col. W. P. Craighill Corps of Engineers, and Lieut.-Col. Henry C. Hodges, Quartermaster's Department, a court of inquiry so investigate the charges of detective work in the Washington Aquedust tunnel and to fix the responsibility therefor. A Congressional special committee has been appointed to perform a similar service.

Dishonorably Dismissed from the Order.
HILLEGORO, O., Oct. 18.—The court-martial which tried Walter S. Payne, ex-Commander-in-Chief of the Bons of Veterans, has found him guilty of embeastigment of the funds of the order and a viola-tion of a pledge whereby the order and a viola-tion of a pledge whereby the order was deprived for a long time of the use of \$1,600 of its funds. The court-martial sentenced him to dishonorable dismissal, subject to the approval of the Com-mander-in-Chief.

Found With His Neck Broken LACONTA, N. H., Uct. 19.—William G. Gil Hoose Tunnel, Mass., employed as a teamster, was found dead on the highway near West Alton last night. His head was badly bruised and his neck broken. He was found in an Italian locality, and foni play is suspected.

GIGANTIC BASEBALL DEAL

BOSTON BUYS FIVE DETROIT PLAYERS FOR \$30,000.

Stearns and Billings Close the Bargain and Brouthers, Richardson, Ganzel, White and Bennett Will Play in the Hub Next Year-Cleveland Will Probably Get the Detroit Franchise, So Mr. Stearns Says Will the Players Sign with Boston ?

When queried by an Evening World reporter to-day, Director Stearns, of Detroit, admitted that Brouthers, Richardson, Bennett, Ganzel and White, of his club, had been sold to the Boston Baseball Club for \$30,000 and that the players would be signed oon after the 20th.

Director Stearns said that he knew it was impossible for Detroit to keep and support such a strong organization, so expensive and so high salaried, and the only way was to get out now as easily as possible and not wait until the club would be compelled to get out. About the future of the franchise he could not speak with any certainty, but said that Cleveland might get it.

The purchase of the releases by the Boston Club of Dennis Brouthers, Charles Bennett, Hardie Richardson, James White and Charles W. Ganzel from the Detroit Club completes what is by far the greatest deal ever perfected in the history of the National game.

Before it the securing of Kelly and Clarkson at the price of \$10,000 each is a very insignificant transaction.

The necessary papers had been drawn up and signed by Director Steams, of the Detroit Club, who was clothed with full power, and Treasurer and Director Billings, who consummated the deal for Boston, he having been in New York several days for that purpose.

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All that remains now is to secure the signatures of the players in question to Boston contracts. These will probably be easily secured, as most of the players, it is understood, have signified their willingness to go to that city, recognizing, as they do, that Boston is one of the best baseball cities in the country.

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Director Stearns, it is said, will remain here until such time as the Wolverine cranks have time to cool the rage caused by the deal. Right here it may be said that the Detroit public deserve their loss, for when this season closed the Detroit Directors were out just \$58,000 for the time the club has been in the League, and a cool \$10,000 of it was lost this year.

If the franchise should go to Cleveland Mr. Stearns expects that one-half the latter's home games will be played in Detroit.

THE COOPER UNION MURDER.

Placcomie's Slayer Not Yet Known, but the Police Have a Cine.

Police Capt. McCullagh is satisfied that he has the murderer of Flaccomio in custody. He says it is either Guiseppe Canizzaro, Natale Sabatino or F. Aita, who are all in the

Ward Detectives Bissert and Roth are working to establish a chain of evidence that they hope will eventually send the guilty man to the gallows. They have given up the search for Stefano Bono, the counterfeiter, who was a friend of Flaccomio's, and who, it was thought, might know something of how he came by his death.

cath.

The detectives say that Bono was not of the party in the restaurant at 8 St. Mark's place last Saturday night, as was at first reported, and that he could know nothing of his friend's murder.

The lady's watch and diamond ring found on Flaccomic were the property of his wife when she lived. The jewelry and money found on him are now in custody of the Property Clerk.

Property Clark.

ASKS THE NEWSPAPERS TO AID HIM.

George W. Clapp, of Besten, Is Looking for the Harrison Backers. PRPECIAL TO THE EVENTUR WORKS.

BOSTON, Oct. 19.-Mr. George W. Clapp, of his city, is still looking after bets on the election. He has \$2,000 or \$2,500, which he says lies moulding because the supporters of Harrison do not evince a desire to bet against

Cleveland.

"As long as I cannot get any of them to bet \$1,000 or \$2,000," he said, "I will take any sum they desire to wager from \$100 to \$2,500, and I will make as many bets as they desire. I don't care to offer odds because if there are any Harrison men who really believe their favorite has an even chance of success against Grover Cleveland, they ought to be willing to back up their judgment.

and, they ought to be with their judgment.
"I wish the newspapers would try to find for "I wish the newspapers would try to find for "I wish the newspapers would try to find for "I wish the newspapers would try to find for "I wish the newspapers". me a Harrison betting man who has any con-fidence in the prospects of the Republican nominee. I haven't been able to discover many. They are as scarce as strawberries in mid-winter."

Put His Head Into the Elevator Shaft. Oscar Heischmann, aged twenty-two years, employed in Simpson's printing establishment, 39 West Fourteenth street, put his head into the elevator shaft this morning to see where the ele-vator was. It descended and crushed his head badly. He was removed to the New York Hos-pital.

Comedian Wilson's Wife Dead. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] BOSTON, Oct. 19. -- Mrs. George W. Wilson, wife of the well-known actor of the Boston Museum Company, died at the Hotel Watterson yesterday of congestion of the brain, after an illness of only two weeks.

A Football Challenge. We, the members of the F. H. L. & Co. Associa the age of twenty, to play in Central Park on Riso tion Day morning. To meet on the grounds a 8.80 A. M. Address William Rehr, care of Franci H. Leggett & Co., New York City.

They Were Illa Friends to the Tune of \$240. Edward Tilly and James Tilly, secused of being confidence men, were held at Essex Market Court to-day trial on a charge of awindling Ashwell Buccannon, of 183 Ridge street, out of 2340. Buccannon had just ar-rived from Scotland, and they said they know his

The Monroe Association on Deck. A meeting of the James Monroe Association was sold last night at 251 East Houston street, Mayer's Hall. Juliuis Harburger, Clerk of the Pourth Dis-trict Court, presided. Mr. Harburger spoke at length and other addresses were made by Coun-seller Joseph Steiner and Henry Jacobs.

Engers & Colo Make an Assignment,

Peter Engers and Curtin Cols, stair rod manu-facturers, at 9 sionroe street, made an assignment to-day to John J. Ross. FINELY colored portraits of the Precidents of the U. S. are inclosed in every box of Hall's BETWEEN THE ACTS ALL-TORACCO CIGARETTES.

CLEVER DETECTIVE WORK.

NEW YORK, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1888.

An Absconding New York Clerk Caught at Antwerp. |

While on the watch for clues as to th whereabouts of one Adolph Sambalino, who formerly lived at 119% Second Place, Brooklyn, detectives detailed by Inspector Byrnes. have discovered and followed as interesting complication in Sambalino's domestic affairs

Adolph was a confidential clerk for David Spero, a feather importer, whose place of business is at 606 Broadway. Mr. Spero returned last July from a business trip to Europe. He was met at the pier by Samba-lino, who seemed very glad to see his em-ployer and shook his hand heartily and told him how well he was looking.

ployer and shook his band heartily and told him how well he was looking.

Then, as they walked to the store, the trusted clerk told his trusting employer that, in order to adjust the books and have everything in order upon the return of the head of the firm, he had taken the accounts to his home in Brooklyn and spent many a weary night in poring over the figures. Just as his work was about finished his house had caught fire and the flames had burned up the precious books.

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In order to prove the truth of his statement, Sambalino produced a clipping from a Brooklyn newspaper in which the fact that a fire did really occur at his house was chron-

hre did really occur at his house was chronicied.

Mr. Spero became suspicious, however, and when he arrived at his place of business he made an investigation as well as he could without the aid of the books.

He sent a large number of letters to his customers, and when in the course of a few days answers began to pour in, the feather merchant realized that he had been swindled. He discovered that a number of large bills which represented sales of his goods had been paid, his name forged on the receipts and the money left unaccounted for.

When the losses began to reach up into the thousands Mr. Spero became very much alarmed, and concluded to consult with Inspector Byrnes.

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Sambalino suddenly disappeared, and Detectives Heidelberg and Dolan were then detailed to run him down. The house in Brooklyn in which Sambalino resided with his wife and child was watched, but no trace of the fugitive was discovered, and the detectives set themselves to watching the wife, who had positively refused to make any statement as to the whereabouts of her husband.

The son of a well-known Brooklyn liquor-dealer, whose name is suppressed for the present, visited the house frequently while the detectives were watching. At first he was supposed to be a mutual friend, acting was supposed to be a mutual friend, acting as letter-carrier between Sambalino and his wife. But the aspect of the case was considerably changed when the pair one day crossed to New York, engaged apartments in the Grand Central Hotel and registered as Mr. Tracy and wife. They spent several days in the hotel and were constantly in each other's company.

the hotel and were constantly in each other's company.

One day they gave orders to have their baggage taken away. The detectives followed the trunks to Quogne. Long Island, and were in turn followed by Mrs. Samballino and her rapid but youthful paramour.

The lady had evidently become tired of her relations with the young fellow by this time, for she registered as Miss Tracy, while her escort called himself her brother.

Their stay in Quogue was also brief, and when they left that little town they separated.

The young man returned to Brooklyn, while Mrs. Sambalino went to her mother in Flatbush. The detectives kept up their watching, and finally learned that Mrs. Sambalino had engaged a passage in the Red Star steamer Belgenland, to sail Sept. 29.

Sept. 29. It was at once suspected that was to meet her husband abroad, and Detective Heidelberg, under instructions from Inspector Byrnes, engaged a passage in the fleet French steamer La Gascogne. The plan was for Heidelberg to get across to Havre and thence go to Antwerp, where he would arrive ahead of the Belgenland, and where it was thought Sambalino

land, and where it was thought the standard might meet his wife on the pier.

Everything went along all right and the detective reached Havre thirty-six hours detective reached the steamer landed at detective reached Havre unity-six hours before the other steamer landed at Antwerp. A train bore him to the latter city and he was on the dock at least two hours before the arrival of the Balgen-

land.

He had but a short time to wait, for within five minutes he saw Sambalino, the runaway clerk, come sauntering down the pier.

When told that he could consider himself under arrest. Sambalino was very much taken aback, but soon recovered his composure and went with the detective before the authorities.

authorities.
Early this morning Inspector Byrnes re-ceived news of the arrest.
The extradition papers are all made out, and will be sent to the Secretary of State and then to Antwerp.

Mr. Spero's loss will amount to at least \$20,000, although at present the exact figures cannot be ascertained.

MRS. WILLMURTH IS FOUND.

She Was Taken to the German Hospital and Admitted as a Patient.

Mrs. Fredericks Willmurth, the wife of Engineer Henry Willmurth, of Jersey City. who so mysteriously disappeared on Wednes-

who so mysteriously disappeared on Wednesday afternoon from the paint store at Duane and Park streets, where she was suffering from an attack of paralysis, was located this morning at the German Hospital in East Seventy-seventh street.

On Wednesday Mrs. Willmurth, who is fifty years old, left her home at 128 Thorn street, intending to visit her husband, who is employed at 419 Broome street. She crossed the Pavonia ferry and entered a Chambers street car. While in the car she was stricken by paralysis and removed to the paint store.

After giving her husband's address she became unconsolous.

came unconscious.

When her husband called at the store to get her he was informed that a young man who claimed to know her had taken her away n a cab. Nothing more was heard of her, and as she Nothing more was neard of her, and as she wore considerable jewelry, her husband thought that she had fallen into bad hands. He searched among his relatives, with no result, and the police also conducted a search, which was without result until to-day.

The woman was brought to the hospital in a cab the same day of her sickness and was admitted as a patient.

dmitted as a patient. Electricity Bursts Out of a Manbole. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. BOSTON, Oct. 19. -- Up from a manhole in the

centre of Washington street, at the corcentre of Washington street, at the corner of Essex, last night, a huge frame rose towards the sky, bitading in its effects and terrific in its force. It carried with it a heavy iron cover, which, after being raised to a height of thirty feet above the ground, fell through the heavy plate glass window is Sage's trunk store. The explosion made is report like that following the discharge of a cannon, cathed by the manbole where thomsands of electric wires charged with electricity in a conduit owned by the Edison Electric Light Company are. No one was hurt.

Should Shun This Mixture Hereafter. Francis Dalk, of 354 East Twenty-fifth street, got drunk on politics and beer. He beat his wife when she tried to take him home. At Essex Market he was fixed \$10.

DEATH AT A SWITCH

Two Killed and Many Hurt on the B. and O.

Accident to a West-Bound Express at Washington, Pa.

This is the Fourth Railroad Horror in Pennsylvania Within a Week.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 19.-About forty miles from here, near Little Washington, at an early bour this morning the Baltimore and Ohio express train was wrecked.

Two persons were killed and thirty-five or forty seriously injured.

The train was the west-bound express and it dashed into an open switch while running twenty miles an hour.

A NEW ELEMENT IN WARPARE.

Electricity Will Be the Great Force of the Future, Lieut. Zalinski Says.

A bright-eyed mild-looking little gentleman, army undress uniform, spoke two hours last night of bombs and shells, of dynamite and torpe and exhibited any quantity of deadly looking missiles. The lecturer was Lieut. E. L. Zalinski, U. S. A.; his subject electricity, as applied to seeoast defense, and his audience the Electric Club. The Lieutenant made an exhaustive report on all forms of offensive and defensive maritime weapons where electricity has been used. He told of experiments for years with instruments so dell

weapons where electricity has been used. He told of experiments for years with instruments so delicale as to be almost invisible to the naked eye, which yet measured the velocity and force of dynamic. He showed how shells propelled from a pneumatic gun could tear in pieces enormous iron-clads and make great navies useless.

"We have been much abosed by our own people," said the Licutenant, "for not building great men-of-war like the European nations. I think that time will prove the wisdom of our course. The improvements in electrical appliances of war in the past ten years have made these great, costly ships defenseless to shells and torpedoes. Our polley of a number of smaller ships I think preferable to tneirs,"

The lecture was illustrated by a stereopticon, and showed the immense improvements of the past five years. It was a mistake to suppose these submarine mines could be operated by any engineer. They must be managed by men educated in electrical science. The ships of the enemy must be blown up and our own allowed to pass unhart. This required great tact and skull. He urged all practical electricians to give thought to this subject, because in the event of war the Government would have to uall on them.

He took up the subject of New York Harbor and said that it could be thoroughly protected by a series of submarine mines. They could be explosed only in sections, so that if any mistake were made in locating a vessel over them there would be no general explosion. Terpedoes placed in groups of twenty-ose, only three of which need be discharged at a time, would be effective.

SETTLED THE CONTEST OF HIS WILL. Mr. Baker Reappeared After Wandering

BIRPINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 18. - Twelve years ago hartes H. Baker, of Winston, owned several large plantations and a store. He discounted notes and n other ways accumulated a large fortune. He was then living with his second wife, their two children, and three sons by a former wife. In the when the yellow fever broke out he could not get away. One day his name appeared among the list of new cases and soon afterwards his family heard

of new cases and soon afterwards his family heard that he was dead. Then his widow filed for probate a will which left her and her children the principal part of his fortune. Baker's sons by his first wife contested this will and after ten years of expensive litigation the widow and her children secured the bulk of what property the lawyers had left them. The three sons immediately secured an injunction restraining Mrs. Baker from taking charge of the property, claiming that they had secured evidence of a later will.

The day after the injunction was served Chas. It. Baker himself, now a very old man, appeared at the homestead and claimed his fortune. When he recovered from the atlack of yellow fever his reason was gone and the past was a blank to him. He drifted here and there as a common tramp, hally turning up in Buenos Ayres in South America, where, under the care of a Spanish obysician, he recovered his reason. He then worked his way to New Orleans as a common sallor, and after many hardships reached his home. He confirmed the claim of his sons that he had made a later will, dividing his property among his wife and all his children.

NO DANGER OF A STRINGENCY.

SPECIAL TO THE WORLD,

Excellent Condition of the National Banks-Why They Surrender Circulation.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19. -The recent heavy surpor der by National banks of bonds deposited to secure arculation has brought to the Treasury a number of inquiries as to whether there is or is likely to be stringency is the money market. Comptroller o the Currency Trenholm, who has few superiors as an authority on financial matters, believes from all the reports that have reached him that money s casy and that the National banks are in excellent condition. Business appears to be done in a conservative way and there is no indication of conservative way and there is no indication of overtrading or speculation.

Congressman S. V. White, of New York, whose opinion on matters financial is worth a good deal, says the only reason the banks are surrendering circulation is that the bonds deposited to secure circulation yield only 90 cents of the dollar, while their market value is about \$1.25. As there is no profit in circulation they are naturally willing to surrender their bond and get the large bonus, which they would not be able to do if they held them until maturity.

Clever Burglars with a Whitewash Kit.

ROSTON, Oct. 19. —A bold and novel robbery was ommitted yesterday afternoon in the store of W. M. Maynard, jewelry broker, No. 16 Brattle square. Mr. Maynard had left his office for lunch, and, having no clerk, looked the door. During hi and, naving no ciets, locked the coor. During his absence two mea, carrying pails of whitewash, brushes, step-ladders and other lunplements of a whitewasher's kit, appeared and began to whitewash the windows on the outside. This done one of the men entered the store through the transom, and was followed by his comrade. He had their ingentously contrived screen the thieves proceeded to rife the jeweiry trave and cases, and in a few moments had gathered together jeweiry valued at about \$1,200. On Mr. Maynard's return he found the door open and scarcely anything salable in his show-cases.

The former proprietor of Du. Sage's Cayarau
REMEDY for years made a standing public offer in
all American newspapers of \$500 rewars for a case
of catarrh that he could not cure. The present
proprietors have renewed tais offer. All the druggiats sell this remedy, together with the "Douche"
and all other appliances advised to be used in connection with it. No catarrh patient is longer able
to say "I cannot be cured." You get \$500 in case
of failure. "."

DEATH OF EX-PRESIDENT SALOMON.

appointment as Much as Disease Caused [BY CARLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.]

Paris, Oct. 19 .- Gen. Salomon, late President of Hayti, died this morning. The General suffered from a complication

of diseases, accelerated by his overthrow in Hayti. He came to Paris after his expulsion from

Hayti, and soug. t medical aid; but he grew worse daily, and finally succumbed, as much to disappointment as to disease.

Gen. Salomon was seventy-five years of age and 6 feet tall. He resigned the Presidency of Hayti Aug. 10 and left the Island immediately, coming to New York on the steamer Cienfuegos, of the Ward line. He arrived here Aug. 24, and next day sailed for Paris on La Champagne, of the French line.

President Solomon's resignation was the result of one of Hayti's peculiar revolutions. In 1886 he was re-elected to a second term of seven years as President of the Republic. His opponents in the election were Bolsrund Caval and Gen. Telemaque, Liberal leaders at Port-au-Prince and in the north part of the island respectively.

The people were incited to rebellion by stories of how Salomon was sending fabulous sums of money out of the island for his own use, and stories of deeds of violence committed by him were told.

On July 4 last the Chamber of Deputies was burned to the ground, and a week later the buildings of the Departments of War and Interior Affairs, the Court-House, the Government Printing Office and the house of the Bishop were destroyed by fire by the revolutionists.

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Gen. Salomon hastily resigned. He was permitted to go to Cuba on a British man-of-war and came thence to New York.

President Salomon left Hayti once before, but was called back after a season of turmoil and confusion there.

LEILA FARRELL GAVE HER CONSENT. And Then Nat Goodwin Married Pretty Mis Baker, of Buffale.

Miss Leila Farrell, the charming soubrette who, it has been understood, held a mortgage on Mr. Nat Goodwin's affections, laughed outright when a reporter asked her if she had heard of the comedian's marriage to Miss Nellie Baker, of Buffalo. "Yes, I've heard about it and I am aw-tully sorry for the poor girl," was the reply, in which her mother, who was present, ac-ouisseed.

in which her mother, who was present, acquiesced.

"Has your suit against Mr. Goodwin for breach of promise been settled?"

Once more the pretty actress smiled as she answered: "I am in honor bound to keep a strict silence. I must decline to say anything about this matter."

"When did you last see the letters upon which your suit was based?"

"Last Friday in Mr. Hummel's office."

"Don't you feel sorry about Mr. Goodwin's marriage?"

Oh, no. Mr. Goodwin married with my permission. He did not dare to take the before."

"Oh, no. Mr. Goodwin married with my full permission. He did not dare to take the step before."

Miss Farrell declined to say whether or not she had given Mr. Goodwin a writted release or how long the negotiations for a settlement had been pending.

There was but one topic discussed among the Thespians on the Rialto and in the squares. That was Nat Goodwin's marriage. Those who claimed to know something about the affair stated that Miss Farrell had received \$9,000 from Mr. Goodwin, and that the plaintiff had invested one-half of the sum and given the remainder to her mother.

mother.

Mr. Hummel is discreetly uncommunicative on the subject, but from his remarks it was inferred that Mr. Goodwin was given to understand he would be compelled to satisfy Miss Farrell's claims; that the comedian had paid the cash, and that now all has ended well

In fact, Mr. Hummel, when the interviewas closed, looked as if he wanted to sing: I am right, You are right, And all is right as right can be.

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BUFFALO, Oct. 19.—Miss Nellie Baker, who
married Actor Nat Goodwin in Chicago, was
the wife of Edward Pease, the young and
well-dressed son of F. S. Pease, the rich oil
manufacturer.

Her acquaintance with Mr. Pease began
when they were attending Public School No.
14, where Miss Baker was a bright and favored
pupil. Her beauty made her the belle of
the school, which is in the fashionable district of the city, and all of the older
boys rendered her so much homage that the
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Principal sometimes had to reprimand them for paying more attention to the little beauty than to their studies.

Stories vary about her elopement witn young Pease, and some of Miss Baker's friends deny that it happened at all.

A rival of Pease for Miss Baker's affections told The Evening World correspondent that Pease became engaged to ber while she was still in school, and that they went away and were secretly married. Afterwards the couple were wedded in St. Paul's Cathedral with considerable fashionable pomp.

At that time they were both about seventeen or eighteen years of age, and are now about twenty-four.

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The elopement was carefully suppressed at the time, and it is impossible to gettinterested parties to talk about it now, while some of those seen deny it entirely.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

A Dry-Goods Woman Who Caught and

Held a Thief. Mrs. Sussman keeps a small dry-goods store at 623 Washington avenue. Patrick Moran, of 591 Vanderbilt avenue,

came along and grabbed a flannel shirt from in front of the store.

He ran down the avenue. Mrs. Sussman followed and caught him two blocks away.

She seized him by the coat-collar, and de-apite his efforts to escape, held him until an other arrived. officer arrived.

Breeklyn News in Brief. Rebecca Matthews, of 1921 Hand street, Philadelphia, was brought to Brooklyn this morning on a charge of retaining \$20 while acting as Treasurer of the Sons and Daughters' Society of Brook-

Francis Potter, of 549 Myrtie avenue, reporta-tine mysterious loss of \$90, which disappeared from his saiv. Michael Ryan and Edward Meyer, two laborers on the Tairry-eighth Street Railroad excavation, were seriously injured by a falling wall. Edward Carter, a mechanic, of 573 Carroll strest, attempted saicide by cutting his throat with a

Sarah Kline, of 91 Eagle street, was pouring ker-osche oil on the fre. The oil in the can ignited and exploded, burning her seriously. Pittsburg's Oldest Inhabitant Dead. PITIBULE, Pa., Oct. 19.—Dr. J. Scott, one of ittaburg's oldest inhabitants, died auddenly last night on the train from Duluth to this city. He was eighty years of age.

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O'CLOCK

PRICE ONE CENT

SHOT ON CONVENT GROUNDS.

FERDINAND PFITZER KILLS HIMSELF AFTER SHOOTING HIS WIFE.

He Thought He Had Become a Murderer After a Quarrel at Home, and, Going Into the Grounds of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, Shot Himself in the Head -Detectives Sought Him for Hours

What at first was supposed to be a tramp

asleep in the grounds of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, at One Hundred and Twentyeighth street, near Tenth avenue, this morning, was found upon investigation to be the body of a dead man. The man lay partly on his side in a pool of

blood that flowed from a bullet wound in his head. A b g pistol lay near by. A policeman of the West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station, had the body

removed to the West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station-house. It is believed that the man committed suicide. He was identified later as Ferdinand Pfitzer, employed as a watchman in Yueng-

Pfitzer, employed as a watchman in Yuengling's Brewery, at One Hundred and Twentyeighth street and Tenth avenue. He hved in
West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth
street. He was a German by birth, thirtyfive years old. Family troubles, it is supposed, induced him to take his life.

Last night Pfitzer quarrelled with his wife,
Christina. The uproar they made aroused
the neighborhood. Pfitzer at last whipped
out his revolver and fired at the woman.

The bullet struck her in the thigh, inflicting a serious but not a fatal wound. She was
removed to the Manhattan Hospital.

Without waiting to see how badly she was
injured her husband fled from the house.
Detectives of the West One Hundred and
Twenty-sixth street station were looking for
him all night, but could find no trace of him.
The theory is that he imagined he had fatally
injured his wife, and fearing the consequences determined to kill himself.

The couple had been in this country only
a few years. They quarrelled constantly.

Sergt, George L. Suttie, of the West One
Hundred and Twenty-sixt street station, notified the Coroner's office of the case, and Coroner Eidman will hold an inquest this afternoon.

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Mrs. Pfitzer is forty years old. She is re-ported by the Manhattan Hospital physicians to be doing well.

CONGRESS AND UNION. It Doesn't Look Very Much Like It-How

About Merriman and Spinola ? Tammany Hall's Committee of Twenty four left the consideration of the Counties request for union on Congressional nominations to a committee of which Fire Commis-sioner Richard Croker is Chairman, and which will meet this afternoon and prepare a

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Commissioner Croker outlined this answer. He said that the Counties will be requested to indorse the nominations of Fitch, Fitzgerald, Cox and McCarthy, already placed in the field by Tammany, and the Wigwam would in return indorse the nominees of the Counties in the remaining four districts. Mr. Croker said that Congressman Tim Campoell is the real stumbling block. Tammany will positively not indorse him and will insist ou running Judge McCarthy in, his district.

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This arrangement disposes of two Tammany Congressmen just as effectively as it does of "Our Tim." They are Truman A. Merriman, who voted against the Mills bill, and Gen. "Gas-House" Spinola.

The New Amsterdam Club was greatly exercised when it heard of Tammany's proposition, and Col. M. C. Murphy, Mayor's Secretary Arthur Berry and a few others were, for a moment, all for fight and the nomination of a ticket in each of the districts to-night.

The matter was talked over. It was suggested that a candidate for Congress didn't have to reside in the district where he stood for election, and they saw some hope for a return of Tim Campbell to Washington if Tammany's proposition is to be as outlined by Mr. Croker.

It was finally decided to wait to see just what Tammany's leaders will propose.

Jersey City Jottiugs. Henry Weyman, who robbed Lazarus Keon two years ago, was held for trial by Justice Stilling, this morning. this morning.

Fire in the Bergen Club-House, 527 Bramball avenue, flamaged the building \$2,000 and the furniture \$3,000, all covered by insurance.

The Jersey thieves who stole a whole coal barge and its load, were before Justice Shising this morning. Schupe, the owner of the tug used in the job, and Boylan, the junkman caught pedding part of the stolen eighty tons, were committed for trial.

BOSTON, Oct. 19. —Lewis Blanchard, a cook for Thomas Doonan's boarding-house at Brockton, had a quarrel with Dossan over money matters. Last night while the house was quiet the cook poured kerosene into the sugar aprinkled, the meats with asses and rendering all the provisions uncatable, then took his departure. The boarders this morning had a very sounty breakfast. The police are looking for the cook. Trying Hard to Get Off the Island.

Mary Kine, a distinguished-looking woman, committed to the island by Justice Gorman for drunkenness, was brought into the Supreme Court to-day on a writ of habeas corpus, and Judge Barrett was asked to take bail for her good behavior. The motion was denied, but a mandamus will be issued calling upon Justice Gorman to abow cause why he will not accept bail.

Infunt Bodies Found in Breeklyn. The dead body of a male infant was found this morning in a vacant lot on Atlantic avenue, near aratoga, Brooklyn Another one was found on Adams atreet, a few locks from the First Precinct Station-House, Patrick Moran discovered a third child's body in the Atlantic Busin.

Light Rains and Warmer Weather. WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.-



The Weather To-Day.

Indicated by Hiskely's tele-thermometer.

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